PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 20th May 1913.

It is hereby notified that a sale of timber and lac in the Mysore Woodyard, Nanjangud Depots, and Seringapatam Koti on the 11th, 10th and 12th of June 1913, respectively.

For further particulars see page No. 782, Part II of the *Mysore Gazette*, No. 22, dated 29th May 1913.

B. HEERASINGH,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 6th June 1913.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of cutting and removing grass in the undermentioned plantations and kavals of the Tumkur District for the year 1913-14, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or the Range Officer deputed by him on the dates and at the places specified below. The sale will be subject to confirmation of the District Forest Officer:—

No.	Name of plantation	Place of sale	Date of sale
1	Gorvipura	Nittur ...	23rd June 1913.
2	Harenahalli		
3	Marasettihalli		
4	Bennehallada kaval...		
5	Gollahalli	Tumkur ...	25th June 1913.
6	Mallasandra		
7	Dasarahalli		
8	Pandithanahalli		

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., on the day of sale as mentioned in the list above.

3. The intending bidders will be required to deposit Rs. 10 as bid money. The deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders will be returned at the close of the sale to them. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury one-fourth of the total rental including the deposit already made together with a cess at one anna per rupee. Should he fail to do so the deposit will be forfeited and the produce will be resold at the risk of the bidder.

4. After crediting one-fourth of the lease amount together with the cess as mentioned in the above para, the balance, *viz.*, three-fourths of the lease amount together with the cess thereon should be credited into Treasury within ninety days from the date of sale, failing which the amount will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

5. Resale effected under para 3 will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who shall not participate in gain, but in the event of loss by the resale he shall make good the deficiency.

6. The lessee shall execute an agreement in an eight-anna stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions mentioned hereunder and it shall be executed within a week from the date of confirmation of sale, failing which the lessee will forfeit the sum already credited to Government; and the produce will be resold as mentioned in para 5 *supra*.

7. The contract will be current from the 1st July 1913 to end of February 1914; after which time the lessee cannot enter the plantation as it will be closed.

8. The contractor shall not cause any damage to trees nor cut them. Should either himself or his men cause damage he shall pay the penalty imposed by the District Forest Officer and it shall be final.

9. The contractor while exploiting the produce cannot enter the plantations through any other but usual track or road. The contractor will be held responsible for any occurrence of fire in the plantation provided they are caused by him or by his men and to make good any damage as decided by the District Forest Officer.

10. The contractor is held responsible for the damage or destruction to young planted seedlings and saplings, while he exploits the grass produce. Should he or his men cause such damage or destruction he shall pay the penalty imposed by the District Forest Officer.

P. S. GOVINDA RAO,
District Forest Officer.